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C O N F I D E N T I A L TAIPEI 5162

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: SNAR, OREP

SUBJECT: CODEL WOLFF

REF : TAIPEI 5136

1. REPRESENTATIVES WOLFF, STARK, RANGEL AND DR. JOHN BRADY VISITED TAIPEI AUGUST 20-23. THE EMBASSY RPROVIDED DETAILED BRIEFINGS ON ROC POLITICAL AND ECONOMIC SITUATION AS WELL AS LOCAL AND INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS PROBLEMS AS SEEN FROM TAIPEI. NARCOTICS BREIFING AND CONGRESSMAN WOLFF'S UNACCOMPANIED CALL ON PREMIER CHIANG CHING KUO REPORTED SEPTEL. IN ADDITION, ENTIRE CODEL MET WITH MINISTER WITHOUT PORTFOLIO CHOW SHU-KAI.

2. IN RESPONSE TO QUESTION OF WHETHER GRC COULD SUBTANTIAE CHARGES OF PRC INVOLVEMENT IN INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS, CHOW POINTED TO PRC FAILURE TO PARTICIPATE IN THE INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS CONTROL BOARD AND NARCOTICS  
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ACITIVITY ON THE PERIPHERY OF CHINA IN HONG KONG AND THE

GOLDEN TRIANGLE AS EVIDENCE OF PRC PARTICIPATION. CONGRESSMAN RANGEL SUGGESTED US MIGHT CONFRONT PRC TO FORCE IT TO PARTICIPATE IN INTERNATIONAL CONTROL ACTIVITIES. CONGRESSMAN WOLFF DISAGREED, RECOMMENDING CREATION OF A NEW INTERNATIONAL NARCOTICS BODY WHICH PRC SHOULD BE ENCOURAGED TO JOIN.

3. IN A SEPARATE CONVERSATION WITH AN EMBASSY OFFICER, CONGRESSMAN RANGEL NOTED HIS FRUSTRATION OVER THE CODEL'S INABILITY TO OBTAIN PROOF OF PRC PARTICIPATION OR LACK THEREOF IN THE ILLEGAL NARCOTICS TRADE. HE HOPES FOLLOW UP IN WASHINGTON.

4. IN PRE-DEPARTURE PRESS CONFERENCE CONGRESSMAN WOLFF DISCUSSED REGIONAL ASPECTS OF THE PROBLEM WITH SPECIAL EMPHASIS ON THAILAND AND NECESSITY FOR ITS COOPERATION WITH U.S. HE ALSO NOTED THAT PREMIER CHIANG HAD PLEDGED THE GRC'S COOPERATION IN FIGHTING THE FLOW OF ILLICIT DRUGS.

5. USIS FEEDING FOUR MINUTES OF CONGRESSMAN WOLFF'S STATEMENT TO VOA FOR POSSIBLE USE, HAS ALSO REPORTED BY USINFO.  
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